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Application of: Friend et al.

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For: METHODS OF CHARACTERI-
ZING DRUG ACTIVITIES
USING CONSENSUS PROFILES

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated November 22, 2000, be extended for a period of **three** months from **February 22, 2001** to and including **May 22, 2001**.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be **\$445.00** (small entity). Please charge the required fee to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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